

## Committee Meetings

No Committee meetings were held.

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### NEW PUBLIC LAWS

(For last listing of Public Laws, see DAILY DIGEST, p. D75)

H.R. 668, to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to reinstate the Airport and Airway Trust Fund excise taxes. Signed February 28, 1997. (P.L. 105-2)

H.J. Res. 36, approving the Presidential finding that the limitation on obligations imposed by section 518A(a) of the Foreign Operations Export Financing, and Related Programs Appropriations Act of 1997, is having a negative impact on the proper functioning of the population planning program. Signed February 28, 1997. (P.L. 105-3)

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### COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR TUESDAY, MARCH 4, 1997

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

#### Senate

*Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry*, to hold hearings to examine the school lunch and school breakfast programs, 10 a.m., SD-G50.

*Committee on Appropriations*, Subcommittee on VA, HUD, and Independent Agencies, to hold hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1998 for the Corporation for National and Community Service, the American Battle Monuments Commission, the Court of Veterans Appeals, the Selective Service System, and Army Cemeterial Expenses, 9:30 a.m., SD-138.

Subcommittee on Agriculture, Rural Development, and Related Agencies, to hold hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1998 for the Food Safety and Inspection Service, Marketing and Regulatory programs, Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service, Agricultural Marketing Service, and the Grain Inspection, Packers and Stockyards Administration, all of the Department of Agriculture, 10 a.m., SD-124.

Subcommittee on Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, to hold hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1998 for the Department of Health and Human Services, 10 a.m., SD-192.

*Committee on Armed Services*, to resume hearings on proposed legislation authorizing funds for fiscal year 1998 for the Department of Defense and the future years defense program, 10 a.m., SR-222.

*Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs*, Subcommittee on Securities, to hold hearings on Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) and Financial Accounting Standards Board (FASB) derivatives accounting rules and their impact on competitiveness and investor information, 10 a.m., SD-538.

*Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation*, to hold hearings to examine proposed legislation to reform product liability, 10 a.m., SR-253.

*Committee on Environment and Public Works*, Subcommittee on Superfund, Waste Control, and Risk Assessment, to hold hearings on proposals relating to liability and resource issues associated with the cleanup and redevelopment of abandoned or underutilized industrial and commercial properties, 9:30 a.m., SD-406.

*Committee on Finance*, to hold hearings to examine estimates of the President's fiscal year 1998 budget request for Medicare, Medicaid, and welfare, 10:30 a.m., SD-215.

*Committee on Foreign Relations*, business meeting, to mark up S. Res. 19, expressing the sense of the Senate regarding United States opposition to the prison sentence of Tibet ethnomusicologist Ngawang Choephel by the Government of the People's Republic of China, and to consider pending nominations, 4:45 p.m., SD-419.

### NOTICE

For a listing of Senate committee meetings scheduled ahead, see pages E362-64 in today's Record.

#### House

*Committee on Appropriations*, Subcommittee on Agriculture, Rural Development, Food and Drug Administration, and Related Agencies, on Research, Education and Economics, 1 p.m., and on Members of Congress and public witnesses, 4 p.m., 2362A Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Commerce, Justice, State and Judiciary, on Attorney General, 2 p.m., 2226 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Energy and Water Development, on U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, 10 a.m., 2362-B Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Interior, on public witnesses, 10 a.m. and 1:30 p.m., B-308 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, on National Heart, Lung and Blood Institute, 10 a.m., on the National Institute of Drug Abuse and the National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism, 1:30 p.m., 2358 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Military Construction, on Quality of Life, 1:30 p.m., B-300 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Treasury, Postal Service, and General Government, on Alcohol, Tobacco, and Firearms, 10 a.m., and on Federal Law Enforcement Training Center, Financial Crimes Enforcement Network, 2 p.m., 2360 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on VA, HUD, and Independent Agencies, on Neighborhood Reinvestment Corporation, 10 a.m., and on Selective Service System, 11 a.m., H-143 Capitol.

*Committee on the Budget*, hearing on the economy, 10 a.m., 210 Cannon.

*Committee on Education and the Workforce*, Subcommittee on Postsecondary Education, Training and Life-Long Learning, hearing on Reform of the Major Federal Job Training Programs, 9:30 a.m., 2175 Rayburn.

*Committee on International Relations*, to markup the following measures: H. Con. Res. 17, congratulating the